February 18, 1981

Dear Miss Gardner.

Once again, 80 Cemetery Street has lived up to its reputation of intermediary/middleman. All roads lead, invariably, to Rome, or is it to 80 Cemetery Street? Whatever the case, I'm glad they do. Did they not, Louise C. McCue's check would never have found its way to my door. Thank you very much.

You have doubtless received the copies (five or six, as I recall) of Volume II, Number 3 of NORTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA that were mailed to you on Tuesday of this week. Please accept them with our compliments. They are for you to do with as you please.

Enclosed is the Louise C. McCue letter of January 22, 1981 that you enclosed in your letter of January 27, 1981. Thank you for allowing me to read it and to make a copy of it. Thank you, in addition, for the clipping from <a href="The Pocono Record">The Pocono Record</a>, The Stroudsburgs, Pa., Saturday, April 21, 1973, p. 30-A entitled, "Historic Switchback RR Donated to Public"; also for "The Story of Pretty Van Pelt." The history-gathering process is one that never ends, as you know, and Donald and I very much appreciate your untiring efforts in that regard.

We seem to be having a taste of Spring at the moment. I would like to believe that it will last. We'll probably have two feet of snow before Spring arrives, in fact, but until the snows come, I'm prepared to regard the present season as the beginning of Spring.

I am very well, and trust that you are also very well.

Sincerely,

Robert